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ADENYLATE KINASE CATALYTIC ACTIVITY

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**AMENDMENT**

Entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks, along with  
the attached Request for Continued Examination (RCE), are requested.